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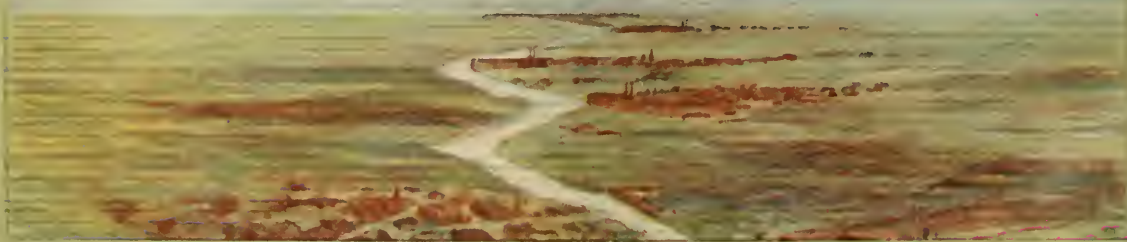








*To the brave men and heroic women of  
Lanett, Shawmut, Langdale, Fairfax and  
Riverview, who have gone forth to do  
battle for the democracy of the world:  
and to the loved ones they have left behind,  
this book is affectionately dedicated.©*



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THIS book is made possible by the generous co-operation of the officers of the West Point Manufacturing Company and Lanett Cotton Mills. It is the result of the combined efforts of the War Service Station in each mill locality to pay at least a feeble tribute to the gallant doughboy who enlisted in the cause of right and democracy. It is hoped that, as the years pass by, these crusaders and their posterity may find an increasing interest in this memorial to their heroism.

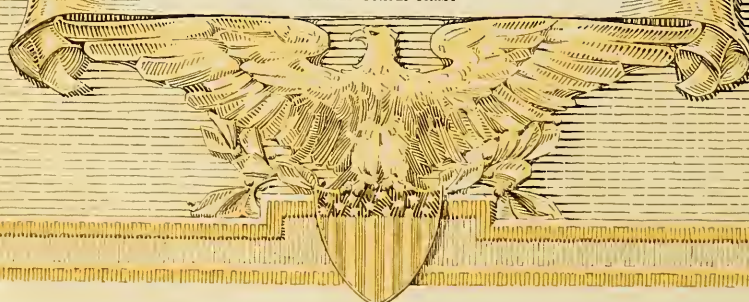
Also, it has been thought advisable to preserve a record of the accomplishments of all those patriotic forces which contributed their part towards the successful termination of the greatest conflict in history.

It would not be amiss to call particular attention to the War Service Stations, under whose leadership was fostered practically all of the patriotic work consummated by those at home. That these Stations were a comfort to our boys—in their interest and solicitude for them—is attested by the letters reproduced.





PRESIDENT WOODROW WILSON  
*Commander-in-Chief*  
UNITED STATES ARMY







# DEFENDERS of DEMOCRACY

## The President's War Message

Delivered before Congress April 2, 1917

I have called the Congress into extraordinary session because there are serious, very serious, choices of policy to be made, and made immediately, which it was neither right nor constitutionally permissible that I should assume the responsibility of making.

On the third of February last, I officially laid before you the extraordinary announcement of the Imperial German Government that on and after the first day of February it was its purpose to put aside all restraints of law or of humanity and use its submarines to sink every vessel that sought to approach either the ports of Great Britain and Ireland or the western coasts of Europe or any of the ports controlled by the enemies of Germany within the Mediterranean.

That had seemed to be the object of the German submarine warfare earlier in the war; but since April of last year the Imperial Government had somewhat restrained the commanders of its undersea craft in conformity with its promise then given to us that passenger boats should not be sunk, and that due warning would be given to all other vessels which its submarines might seek to destroy, when no resistance was offered or escape attempted, and care taken that their crews were given at least a fair chance to save their lives in their open boats.

The precautions taken were meager and haphazard enough, as was proved in distressing instance after instance in the progress of the cruel and unmanly business, but a certain degree of restraint was observed.

The new policy has swept every restriction aside. Vessels of every kind, whatever their flag, their character, their cargo, their destination, their errand, have been ruthlessly sent to the bottom without warning and without thought of help or mercy for those on board—the vessels of friendly neutrals, along with belligerents.


Even hospital ships and ships carrying relief to the sorely bereaved and stricken people of Belgium, though the latter were provided with safe conduct through the proscribed areas by the German Government itself and were distinguished by unmistakable marks of identity, have been sunk with the same reckless lack of compassion or of principle.

I was for a little while unable to believe that such things would in fact be done by any government that had hitherto subscribed to the humane practices of civilized nations.

International law had its origin in the attempt to set up some law which would be respected and observed upon the seas, where no nation had right of dominion and where lay the free highways of the world.

By painful stage after stage has that law been built up, with meager enough results, indeed, after all was accomplished that could be accomplished, but always with a clear view, at least, of what the heart and conscience of mankind demanded.

This minimum of right the German Government has swept aside under the plea of retaliation and necessity, and because it had no weapons which it could use at sea except





these which it is impossible to employ as it is employing them without throwing to the winds all scruples of humanity or of respect for the understandings that were supposed to underlie the intercourse of the world.

I am not now thinking of the loss of property involved, immense and serious as that is, but only of the wanton and wholesale destruction of the lives of non-combatants, men, women and children, engaged in pursuits which have always, even in the darkest periods of modern history, been deemed innocent and legitimate.

Property can be paid for; the lives of peaceful and innocent people cannot be.

The present German submarine warfare against commerce is a warfare against mankind. It is a war against all nations.

American ships have been sunk, American lives taken, in ways which it has stirred us very deeply to learn of, but the ships and people of other neutral and friendly nations have been sunk and overwhelmed in the waters in the same way. There has been no discrimination.

The challenge is to all mankind. Each nation must decide for itself how it will meet it.

The choice we make for ourselves must be made with a moderation of counsel and a temperateness of judgment befitting our character and our motives as a nation. We must put excited feeling away.

Our motive will not be revenge or the victorious assertion of the physical might of the Nation, but only the vindication of right, of human right, of which we are only a single champion.

When I addressed the Congress on the twenty-sixth of February last, I thought that it would suffice to assert our neutral rights with arms, our right to use the seas against unlawful interference, our right to keep our people safe against unlawful violence.

But armed neutrality, it now appears, is impracticable. Because submarines are in effect outlaws when used as the German submarines have been used against merchant shipping, it is impossible to defend ships against their attacks as the law of nations has assumed that merchantmen would defend themselves against privateers or cruisers, visible craft giving chase upon the open sea.

It is common prudence in such circumstances, grim necessity indeed, to endeavor to destroy them before they have shown their own intention. They must be dealt with upon sight, if dealt with at all.

The German Government denies the right of neutrals to use arms at all within the areas of the sea which it has proscribed, even in the defense of rights which no modern publicist has ever before questioned their right to defend. The intimation is conveyed that the armed guards which we have placed on our merchant ships will be treated as beyond the pale of law and subject to be dealt with as pirates would be. Armed neutrality is ineffectual enough at best; in such circumstances and in the face of such pretensions it is worse than ineffectual; it is likely only to produce what it was meant to prevent; it is practically certain to draw us into the war without either the rights or the effectiveness of belligerents.



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There is one choice we cannot make, we are incapable of making; we will not choose the path of submission and suffer the most sacred rights of our Nation and our people to be ignored or violated. The wrongs against which we now array ourselves are no common wrongs; they cut to the very roots of human life.


With a profound sense of the solemn and even tragical character of the step I am taking and of the grave responsibilities which it involves, but in unhesitating obedience to what I deem my constitutional duty, I advise that the Congress declare the recent course of the Imperial German Government to be in fact nothing less than war against the Government and people of the United States; that it formally accept the status of belligerent which has thus been thrust upon it; and that it take immediate steps not only to put the country in a more thorough state of defense, but also to exert all its power and employ all its resources to bring the Government of the German Empire to terms and end the war.

What this will involve is clear. It will involve the utmost practicable co-operation in counsel and action with the governments now at war with Germany, and, as incident to that, the extension to those governments of the most liberal financial credits in order that our resources may, so far as possible, be added to theirs. It will involve the organization and mobilization of all the material resources of the country to supply the materials of war and serve the incidental needs of the Nation in the most abundant and yet the most economical and efficient way possible. It will involve the immediate full equipment of the Navy in all respects, but particularly in supplying it with the best means of dealing with the enemy's submarines. It will involve the immediate addition to the armed forces of the United States already provided for by law in case of war at least five hundred thousand men, who should, in my opinion, be chosen upon the principle of universal liability to service, and also the authorization of subsequent additional increments of equal force so soon as they may be needed and can be handled in training.

It will involve also, of course, the granting of adequate credits to the Government, sustained, I hope, so far as they can equitably be sustained by the present generation, by well-conceived taxation. I say sustained so far as may be equitable by taxation because it seems to me that it would be most unwise to base the credits which will now be necessary entirely on money borrowed. It is our duty, I most respectfully urge, to protect our people so far as we may, against the very serious hardships and evils which would be likely to arise out of the inflation which would be produced by vast loans.

In carrying out the measures by which these things are to be accomplished we should keep constantly in mind the wisdom of interfering as little as possible in our own preparation and in the equipment of our own military forces with the duty—for it will be a very practical duty—of supplying the nations already at war with Germany with the materials which they can obtain only from us or by our assistance. They are in the field and we should help them in every way to be effective there.

I shall take the liberty of suggesting, through the several executive departments of the Government, for the consideration of your committees, measures for the accomplishment of the several objects I have mentioned. I hope that it will be your pleasure to deal with them as having been framed after very careful thought by the branch of the Government upon







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which the responsibility of conducting the war and safeguarding the Nation will most directly fall.

While we do these things, these deeply momentous things, let us be very clear, and make very clear to all the world what our motives and our objects are. My own thought has not been driven from its habitual and normal course by the unhappy events of the last two months, and I do not believe that the thought of the Nation has been altered or clouded by them.

I have exactly the same things in mind now that I had in mind when I addressed the Senate on the twenty-second of January last; the same that I had in mind when I addressed the Congress on the third of February and on the twenty-sixth of February.

Our object now, as then, is to vindicate the principles of peace and justice in the life of the world as against selfish and autocratic power and to set up amongst the really free and self-governed peoples of the world such a concert of purpose and of action as will henceforth insure the observance of those principles.

Neutrality is no longer feasible or desirable where the peace of the world is involved and the freedom of its peoples, and the menace to that peace and freedom lies in the existence of autocratic governments backed by organized force which is controlled wholly by their will, not the will of their people. We have seen the last of neutrality in such circumstances.

We are at the beginning of an age in which it will be insisted that the same standards of conduct and of responsibility for wrong done shall be observed among nations and their governments that are observed among the individual citizens of civilized states.


We have no quarrel with the German people. We have no feeling toward them but one of sympathy and friendship. It was not upon their impulse that their Government acted in entering this war. It was not with their previous knowledge or approval.

It was a war determined upon as wars used to be determined upon in the old, unhappy days when peoples were nowhere consulted by their rulers and wars were provoked and waged in the interest of dynasties or of little groups of ambitious men who were accustomed to use their fellow men as pawns and tools.

Self-governed nations do not fill their neighbor states with spies or set the course of intrigue to bring about some critical posture of affairs which will give them an opportunity to strike and make conquest. Such designs can be successfully worked out only under cover and where no one has the right to ask questions.

Cunningly contrived plans of deception or aggression, carried, it may be, from generation to generation, can be worked out and kept from the light only within the privacy of courts or behind the carefully guarded confidences of a narrow and privileged class. They are happily impossible where public opinion commands and insists upon full information concerning all the nation's affairs.

A steadfast concert for peace can never be maintained except by a partnership of democratic nations. No autocratic government could be trusted to keep faith within it or observe its covenants. It must be a league of honor, a partnership of opinion.





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Intrigue would eat its vitals away; the plottings of inner circles who could plan what they would and render account to no one would be a corruption seated at its very heart. Only free peoples can hold their purpose and their honor steady to a common end and prefer the interests of mankind to any narrow interest of their own.

Does not every American feel that assurance has been added to our hope for the future peace of the world by the wonderful and heartening things that have been happening within the last few weeks in Russia?

Russia was known by those who knew it best to have been always in fact democratic at heart, in all the vital habits of her thought, in all the intimate relationships of her people that spoke their natural instinct, their habitual attitude toward life.

The autocracy that crowned the summit of her political structure, long as it has stood and terrible as was the reality of its power, was not in fact Russian in origin, character or purpose; and now it has been shaken off and the great, generous Russian people have been added in all their native majesty and might to the forces that are fighting for freedom in the world, for justice, and for peace. Here is a fit partner for a League of Honor.

One of the things that has served to convince us that the Prussian autocracy was not and could never be our friend is that from the very outset of the present war it has filled our unsuspecting communities and even our offices of Government with spies and set criminal intrigues everywhere afoot against our national unity of council, our peace within and without, our industries and our commerce.

Indeed, it is now evident that its spies were here even before the war began; and it unhappily is not a matter of conjecture, but a fact proved in our courts of justice, that the intrigues which have more than once come perilously near to disturbing the peace and dislocating the industries of the country have been carried on at the instigation, with the support, and even under the personal direction of official agents of the Imperial Government accredited to the Government of the United States.

Even in checking these things and trying to extirpate them we have sought to put the most generous interpretation possible upon them because we knew that their source lay, not in any hostile feeling or purpose of the German people toward us (who were, no doubt, as ignorant of them as we ourselves were), but only in the selfish designs of a Government that did what it pleased and told its people nothing. But they have played their part in serving to convince us at last that that Government entertains no real friendship for us and means to act against our peace and security at its convenience. That it means to stir up enemies against us at our very doors, the intercepted note to the German Minister at Mexico City is eloquent evidence.

We are accepting this challenge of hostile purpose because we know that in such a Government, following such methods, we can never have a friend; and that in the presence of its organized power, always lying in wait to accomplish we know not what purpose, there can be no assured security for the democratic governments of the world.

We are now about to accept gauge of battle with this natural foe to liberty and shall, if necessary, spend the whole force of the Nation to check and nullify its pretensions and its





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power. We are glad, now that we see the facts with no veil of false pretense about them, to fight for the ultimate peace of the world and for the liberation of its peoples, the German peoples included: for the rights of nations great and small and the privilege of men everywhere to choose their way of life and of obedience. The world must be made safe for democracy. Its peace must be planted upon the tested foundations of political liberty.

We have no selfish ends to serve. We desire no conquest, no dominion. We seek no indemnities for ourselves, no material compensation for the sacrifices we shall freely make. We are but one of the champions of the rights of mankind. We shall be satisfied when those rights have been made as secure as the faith and the freedom of nations can make them.


Just because we fight without rancor, without selfish object, seeking nothing for ourselves but what we shall wish to share with all free peoples, we shall, I feel confident, conduct our operations as belligerents without passion and ourselves observe with proud punctilio the principles of right and of fair play we profess to be fighting for.

I have said nothing of the governments allied with the Imperial Government of Germany because they have not made war upon us or challenged us to defend our right and our honor. The Austro-Hungarian Government has, indeed, avowed its unqualified indorsement and acceptance of the reckless and lawless submarine warfare adopted now without disguise by the Imperial German Government, and it has therefore not been possible for this Government to receive Count Tarnowski, the Ambassador recently accredited to this Government by the Imperial and Royal Government of Austria-Hungary; but that Government has not actually engaged in warfare against citizens of the United States on the seas, and I take the liberty, for the present at least, of postponing a discussion of our relations with the authorities at Vienna. We enter this war only where we are clearly forced into it because there are no other means of defending our rights.

It will be all the easier for us to conduct ourselves as belligerents in a high spirit of right and fairness because we act without animus, not in enmity toward a people nor with the desire to bring any injury or disadvantage upon them, but only in armed opposition to an irresponsible Government which has thrown aside all considerations of humanity and of right and is running amuck.

We are, let me say again, the sincere friends of the German people, and shall desire nothing so much as the early re-establishment of intimate relations of mutual advantage between us—however hard it may be for them, for the time being, to believe that this is spoken from our hearts. We have borne with their present Government through all these bitter months because of that friendship—exercising a patience and forbearance which would otherwise have been impossible. We shall, happily, still have an opportunity to prove that friendship in our daily attitude and actions toward the millions of men and women of German birth and native sympathy who live amongst us and share our life, and we shall be proud to prove it toward all who are in fact loyal to their neighbors and to the Government in the hour of test. They are, most of them, as true and loyal Americans as if they had never known any other fealty or allegiance.

They will be prompt to stand with us in rebuking and restraining the few who may be of a different mind and purpose.





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If there should be disloyalty, it will be dealt with with a firm hand of stern repression; but, if it lifts its head at all, it will lift it only here and there and without countenance except from a lawless and malignant few.

It is a distressing and oppressive duty, Gentlemen of the Congress, which I have performed in thus addressing you. There are, it may be, many months of fiery trial and sacrifice ahead of us. It is a fearful thing to lead this great peaceful people into war, into the most terrible and disastrous of all wars, civilization itself seeming to be in the balance. But the right is more precious than peace, and we shall fight for the things which we have always carried nearest our hearts—for democracy, for the right of those who submit to authority to have a voice in their own governments, for the rights and liberties of small nations, for a universal dominion of right by such a concert of free peoples as shall bring peace and safety to all nations and make the world itself at last free.

To such a task we can dedicate our lives and our fortunes, everything that we are and everything that we have, with the pride of those who know that the day has come when America is privileged to spend her blood and her might for the principles that gave her birth and happiness and the peace which she has treasured. God helping her, she can do no other.



Woodrow Wilson





GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING  
*Commander-in-Chief*  
AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES



ADMIRAL SIMS  
*Commander-in-Chief*  
UNITED STATES NAVAL FORCES

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Corp. Joe F. Adams  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. George Alexander  
Company E  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Loyd Allen  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Will T. Anderson  
Company C  
106th Am. Train



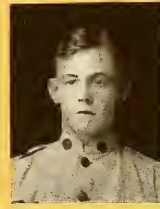
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Company B  
3d Infantry



Pvt. Chas. H. Barnett  
Battery C  
6th Field Artillery



Corp. Harry Bachelor  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Claude Barnett  
Bakery Co. 357



Sailor George Bankston  
U.S.S. Rhode Island



Pvt. Jesse Berry  
Company C  
106th Am. Train



Pvt. Earl Beal  
Battery F  
53d Artillery C A.C.



Pvt. Edgar Blakely  
Medical Corps



Sgt. James Blackmon  
19th Division  
Supply Train



Corp. Mark B. Blackmon  
Company C  
106th Am. Train



Pvt. Willie H. Brewer  
Company G  
2d Training Reg



Pvt. Earnest G. Brewster  
Company 39  
157th Depot Brigade



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Pvt. Eddie E. Buchanan  
1st Company  
1st Army Corps School Det



Sgt. Thos. H. Cason  
Company C  
106th Am. Train



Pvt. George Caldwell  
Company B  
324th Infantry



Pvt. Merritt E. Carlisle  
Company I  
327th Infantry



Corp. Henry Carlisle  
Battery E  
21st Field Artillery



Sgt. Jno. G. Chapman  
Quartermaster Corps



Pvt. T. G. Clements  
2d Provisional  
Depot Battalion



Sgt. Maj. Guy Coffee  
Hdqtrs. Company  
384th Infantry



Tipton Coffee  
Y.M.C.A.



Wendell Coffee  
Ph. M.I.  
U.S.S. Kentucky



Sgt. Ewell Coffee  
Company B  
17th Engineers



Corp. Harvey R. Collins  
Company B  
6th Repl. Reg. Inf.



Pvt. A. Fennimore Cox  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Jesse W. Coleman  
Company B  
151st Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. Hoyt Crowder  
3d Company  
Developing Btn.



Corp. Lester D. Crowder  
Company F  
167th Infantry



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Cook O. W. Culpepper  
Company I  
M.T.C.R.U. 307



Pvt. Leroy Daniel  
Hdqrs. Company  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Elijah Daniel  
6th Company  
Development Btn.



Pvt. Robert Dailey  
Battery E  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Winfred L. Deloach  
Battery C  
7th Field Artillery



Pvt. Hubert Denham  
Battery D  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Radney Dobson  
Company H  
161st Infantry



Pvt. Gay Dunn  
Company B  
48th Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. A. E. Fincher  
2d Provisional  
R.R.C.



Pvt. George Fincher  
Company B  
359th Infantry



Pvt. Isaac Free  
Mach. Gun Company  
167th Infantry



Pvt. William E. Freeman  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Wesley Foster  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Will H. Gill  
Company C  
321st Infantry



Corp. Tolbert H. Gray  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Corp. Ben W. Griffith  
Company B  
34th Engineers



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Pvt. Allie Griffin  
Company E  
123d Infantry



Pvt. J. B. Grier  
Company G  
321st Infantry



Pvt. Alver Gunn  
Company E  
7th Engineers



Pvt. John B. Gunn  
Battery F  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Richard Hadaway  
Company E  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Brinton Hall  
Company H  
161st Infantry



Sgt. Will H. Hammock  
20th Company  
156th Depot Brigade



Pvt. Robert Hammock  
63th Company  
63rd Group M.T.D.



Pvt. L. Clyde Harmon  
Bakery Co. 326



Pvt. Grady Harmon  
Company 7  
Infantry Repl. Unit



Pvt. Hobson H. Harmon  
Supply Battery  
56th Field Artillery



Pvt. Phillip H. Heard  
Company D  
66th Engineers



Sgt. James Heard  
Company A  
59th Engineers



Roland Shaefer Heard  
Yeoman 3 c  
8 U.S. Navy Yard  
Charleston, S. C.



Corp. Buford Heggood  
118th Infantry Band  
59th Brigade



Pvt. Hobson Heggood  
Post Military Band  
Edgewood Arsenal



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Pvt. F. M. Heggood  
118th Infantry Band



Pvt. Emmit Henderson  
Company G  
165th Infantry



Corp. S. Calloway Herring  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Charles Frank Hill  
Battery C  
3d Field Artillery



Corp. John J. Seymore  
Company C  
106th Am. Train



Musc. David Holloway  
167th Infantry Band



Pvt. Minor Hood  
Company D  
106th Am. Train



Pvt. Jack Howard  
Company 17  
5th Reg U.S. Marine Corps



Pvt. Jno. M. Howarth  
S.A.T.C.  
Auburn, Ala.



Pvt. Reuben J. Jennings  
S.A.T.C.  
Marion Inst.



Pvt. John Johnson  
Company A  
106th Engineers



Sgt. Frank P. Jones  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Oscar King  
Company C  
54th Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. Beiah King  
5th Company  
Coast Artillery



Pvt. Marion W. Knight  
Quartermaster Corps



Pvt. Joe W. Knight  
Marine Guard  
Naval Radio Station



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Pvt. John C. Leonard  
Casual Co. 63  
162d Depot Brigade



Pvt. Hobson Lewis  
Company E  
3d Infantry



Pvt. Evans McGhee  
Company C  
3d Infantry



Pvt. Gip L. McGhee  
23d Infantry



Corp. James McGlon  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Jesse McGlon  
64th Engineers  
R.O.T.



Pvt. Curtis McNaron  
Company L  
115th U.S.G.N.A.



Pvt. Brant F. Maguire  
13th Company  
5th Platoon



Pvt. J. T. Manley  
Battery D  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Luther Martin  
39th Company  
10th Training Bn.  
157th Depot Brigade



Pvt. Earnest R. Mitchell  
Hdqts. Company  
152d Depot Brigade



Pvt. Lofton Mitchell  
Company E  
66th Am. Train



Pvt. Cluster Morgan  
Company M  
70th Infantry



Pvt. Edd L. Newby  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Walter Newsome  
Company A  
168th Infantry



Corp. Eugene Oliver  
Company H  
167th Infantry



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Pvt. Calvin Parker  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Henry M. Parker  
Quartermaster Corps



Sgt. Watson Phillips  
Quartermaster Corps



Sgt. George C. Pryor  
Medical Dept.  
6th Engineers



Corp. William C. Raines  
Headquarters Band  
116th Field Artillery



Pvt. Willie Rogers  
Company A  
321st Infantry



Pvt. Charles E. Sanders  
Motor Truck Co. 332



Pvt. Charles Sedinger  
Company D  
6th Infantry



Pvt. Jimmie Seymour  
Company A  
101st Infantry



Pvt. Thomas M. Simms  
Company E  
307th Engineers



Pvt. Grady Smith  
Medical Dept.  
157th Depot Brigade



Pvt. Joe Smith  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Ollie Smith  
Company C  
321st Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. John W. Stewart  
Company H  
43d Infantry



Sgt. James Stearns  
Battery C  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Harvey D. Stephens  
Company C  
321st Mach. Gun Btn.



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Corp. Eugene Stiff  
Company G  
122d Infantry



Pvt. Charles Tally  
Hdqtrs. Troops  
314th Cavalry



Horseshoe Thomas Tally  
Battery D  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Lomas Thomaston  
Company A  
1st Infantry  
Regl. and Trn. Bn



Corp. Thomas Thomaston  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Hugh Turner  
Company D  
19th Bn. U.S.G.N.A.



Pvt. James Ward  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Corp. Quincer W. Whitt  
Company B  
116th Supply Train



Pvt. Ocie T. Wilbanks  
Company E  
20th Engineers



Pvt. Colvin Wilbanks  
71st Company  
6th Group M.T.D.



Pvt. Robert Williams  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Sgt. Jesse Von Williams  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Sailor Charles Winningham  
U.S.S. Camden Detail  
League Island Navy Yard



Charles H. Yarbrough  
Ph. M.3  
Bay Ridge Rec. Ship



Pvt. Dan H. Hart  
Company H  
123d Infantry



Pvt. Carl Smith  
Company H  
123d Infantry

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Corp. William D. Purcell  
Company A  
306 Ammunition Train



Pvt. Walter Geter  
Company 21  
R.R.D.



Pvt. Chester D. May  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Corp. Eugene Herring  
Company C  
106th Am. Train



Pvt. Robert Hollis  
Company K  
16th Infantry



Pvt. James E. Robinson  
8th Field Artillery



Pvt. Hobson Cummings  
S. A. T. C.  
Auburn, Ala.



Pvt. Walter Peppers  
Company 39  
New Receiving Camp



Pvt. Jim B. Morris  
114thrs. Company  
115th Field Artillery



# DEFENDERS of DEMOCRACY

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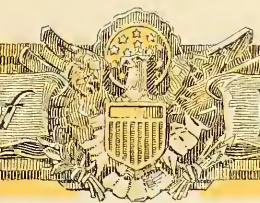
## Roll of Honor

- \*ADAMS, J. F.
- \*ALLEN, MARSHALL  
ALEXANDER, BEN
- \*ALEXANDER, GEORGE
- \*ALLEN, LOYD
- \*ANDERSON, WILL
- †\*ANDREWS, CLYDE  
ANDREWS, J. C.  
AUGHTMAN, JOHN
- ‡\*BACHELOR, HARRY  
BAKER, WILLIAM
- \*BANKSTON, GEORGE
- BARNETT, CLAUDE  
BARNETT, CHARLES H.  
BARTON, TEBE
- \*BEAL, EARL
- \*BERRY, JESSE
- \*BLACKMON, JAMES
- \*BLACKMON, MARK
- \*BLAKELY, EDGAR  
BOGGS, JAMES G.  
BOWLING, I. L.
- \*BREWER, WILLIE H.  
BREWSTER, EARNEST G.  
BROWN, JESSE  
BRUMALOE, C. C.
- \*BUCHANAN, EDWARD E.
- \*CALDWELL, GEORGE
- \*CARLISLE, HENRY
- ‡\*CARLISLE, MERRITT  
CARMICHAEL, GEORGE  
CARMICHAEL, JIM
- \*CASON, THOMAS
- \*CHAPMAN, JOHN
- \*CLEMENTS, T. C.
- \*COFFEE, EWELL
- \*COFFEE, GUY
- \*COFFEE, TIPTON
- \*COFFEE, WENDELL
- \*COLEMAN, J. W.
- \*COLLINS, HARVEY R.
- ‡\*COX, FENNIMORE
- \*CROWDER, HOYT
- ‡\*CROWDER, LESTER D.
- \*CULPEPPER, OREIN W.  
CUMMINGS, HOBSON
- \*DAILEY, ROBERT
- \*DANIEL, ELIJAH
- \*DANIEL, LEROY
- \*DELOACH, WINFRED L.
- \*DENHAM, HUBURT
- \*DOBSON, RADNEY
- \*DUNN, LONNIE G.
- EAST, ALBERT
- \*FREE, ISAC
- \*FREEMAN, WILLIAM E.
- \*FINCHER, EUGENE
- \*FINCHER, GEORGE
- ‡\*FOSTER, WESLEY
- \*GETER, WALTER
- \*GILL, WILL
- \*GRAY, TOLBERT H.
- \*GRIER, JOE B.
- \*GRIFFETH, BEN W.
- \*GRIFFIN, ALLIE
- \*GUNN, ALVER T.
- \*GUNN, JOHN B.
- \*HADAWAY, RICHARD
- \*HALL, BRINTON
- \*HAMMOCK, ROBERT L.
- \*HAMMOCK, WILL H.
- \*HARMON, CLYDE
- \*HARMON, GRADY
- \*HARMON, HOBSON
- \*HART, DAN
- \*HEARD, PHILLIP
- \*HEARD, JAMES E.
- \*HEARD, SHAEFER
- \*HEGGOOD, BUFORD
- \*HEGGOOD, F. M.
- \*HEGGOOD, HOBSON
- \*HENDERSON, EMMIT
- \*HERRING, EUGENE
- \*HERRING, S. CALLOWAY
- \*HILL, CHARLES FRANK  
HILL, CHARLIE
- \*HOLLIS, ROBERT
- \*HOLLOWAY, DAVID
- \*HOOD, MINOR
- \*HOWARD, JACK
- \*HOWARTH, JOHN M.
- JENKINS, HAMP
- \*JENNINGS, RUBE J.
- \*JOHNSON, JOHN
- \*JONES, FRANK P.
- KENDRICK, JOHN
- \*KING, BELAH
- \*KING, OSCAR
- \*KNIGHT, MARION
- \*KNIGHT, JOE  
KNIGHT, HORACE  
KYNARD, O. D.
- \*LEONARD, JOHN C.
- \*LEWIS, HOBSON J.  
LEWIS, EDD
- MANNING, E.
- MARTIN, CLARENCE
- \*MAY, CHESTER D.
- \*MITCHELL, EARNEST
- \*MITCHELL, LOFTON
- \*MORGAN, CLUSTER
- \*MORRIS, JIM B.

‡Killed in action

†Died of disease

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\*MAGUIRE, BRANT F.

\*MANLEY, J. T.

\*MARTIN, LUTHER

\*MCGHEE, EVANS

MCGHEE, GIP L.

\*MCGLON, JESSE

\*MCGLON, JAMES

\*MCMARON, CURTIS

NEESE, KENNY

\*NEWBY, EDD L.

\*NEWSOME, WALTER  
NORMAN, RAEMON

\*OLIVER, EUGENE

\*PARKER, CALVIN

\*PARKER, MOSE HENRY  
PEPPERS, WALTER

\*PHILLIPS, WATSON

\*PRYOR, GEORGE C.

\*PURCELL, WILLIAM D.

\*RAINES, WILLIAM C.

ROBINSON, JAMES E.

ROBINSON, OSCAR

\*ROGERS, WILLIAM

\*SANDERS, C. E.

SANDS, L. C.

\*SEDINGER, CHARLES

\*SEYMORE, JAMES

\*SEYMORE, JOHN J.

\*SIMS, THOMAS M.

\*SMITH, CARL

\*SMITH, GRADY

\*SMITH, JOE

\*SMITH, OLLIE

\*STEARNS, JAMES

\*STEVENS, HARVEY D.

STEVENS, OTIS

\*STEWART, JOHN W.

\*STIFF, EUGENE

\*TALLY, CHARLIE

\*TALLY, ROBERT

†\*THOMASTON, THOMAS

\*THOMASTON, WILLIAM L.

\*TURNER, HUGH

\*WARD, JAMES

\*WHITTLE, QUINCY

\*WILBANKS, COLVIN

\*WILBANKS, OCIE T.

\*WILLIAMS, JESSE VON

\*WILLIAMS, ROBERT

\*WINNINGHAM, CHARLES

WINSLETT, R. D.

\*YARBROUGH, CHARLES H.

## Colored

ASKEW, FRANK

BROCK, BILL

COLLINS, JIM

COLLINS, JOHN

CHAPPEL, DOCK

CHEERY, ABRAHAM

DALLIS, WILLIE

DUNCAN, JAMES D.

DUNCAN, JOHN

DUNCAN, WILL

DUNCAN, LINDSEY

FITSPATRICK, HENRY

GATES, RICHARD

GIPSON, CHARLIE

GORDON, W. M.

GOSS, JIM

GOSS, NAPOLEON

GREENWOOD, ENOCH

GREER, WILLIAM A., JR.

HARRIS, HOSEA

HILL, CLARENCE

HILL, STANLEY

HUGULEY, DOCK

JORDON, EDD

MCKINLEY, JEFF

OLIVER, WESLEY

ONEAL, ALVA

ROBERSON, EARLY

SCOTT, LEE

SMITH, ELIJAH

TOWLES, WILLIE

TRAMMEL, LUTHER

WATKINS, ROBERT

WESTON, GILBERT

WESTON, WILLIE

WINSTON, JEFF

WINSTON, ZACK

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†Died of disease

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## Extracts of Appreciation

"To know that the people at home are squarely back of us just doubles our determination to lick the Boche . . . . Our first Battalion was the first American troops to capture prisoners without the aid of the French or British."

DAVID HOLLOWAY

July 8, 1918

"I beg to inform you that there are boys here from the largest cities in the country who have been here a long time and never have received as much as a card from the numerous organizations in their home cities while I have had letters from Lanett Service Station and only been here a month. The boys all admit that they have to take off their hats to Lanett for the spirit the folks at home show in backing up the boys."

HOBSON G. HEGGOOD

"And if it so be I will stand on the vine clad hills of sunny France and give my life for a cause that is just and right."

EVANS MCGHEE

June 14, 1918. *Eagle Pass, Texas*

"Our motto is 'Over the Top and give them H—' and you can take it from me that is just what they are doing. Our boys are fighting like our grandfathers fought back in the sixties and they are making for themselves a name which will never be forgotten."

September 21, 1918. *Musician, 167th Inf. Band, Somewhere in France* DAVE HOLLOWAY.

"And I am glad that I have such a patriotic town to back me while I do a little to help beat the Beast of Berlin."

SCT. EUGENE C. STIFF.

July 23, 1918. *Company 9, 122d Infantry*

"I wish to thank you for the interest the Service Station is taking in me and I am sure all the boys from dear old Lanett feel the same as myself . . . . We had three battles with the 'Subs' on my last trip and I am proud to say we got three 'Subs' out of three battles."


CHAS. H. YARBROUGH.

*On Board U. S. S. Zeelandia*

"We drove the enemy out of places that looked impossible for it to be done, tunnels and under hills and mountains several hundred feet deep. but believe me we went in after them without any mercy and finally got them going so fast we had to put dough-balls in motor trucks and hook the kitchens on behind to keep up with them."

November 30, 1918. *Company E, 307th Engineers*

THOMAS M. SIMS.





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## Extracts of Appreciation

"Again I offer you a rising and unanimous vote of thanks for your kind letters. Number 10 reached me this week and did me more good than a check for \$50.00 would . . . . You will have to admit that when the world wanted Germany licked they sent over the A. E. F. (After England Failed) and three days after I reached the front the second time, the Kaiser packed his trick clothes, threw his crown into the garbage pail, put on his rubber boots and let himself out the back door."

CORP. W. D. PURCELL

November 21, 1918

"You have no idea how we love to hear from home and to feel that you remember us. We can fight a *heap* better when we're reminded once in a while that our loved ones are helping us by keeping us in touch with home and sacrificing in numerous ways that we may be more comfortable."

GEORGE BANKSTON

July 16, 1918. *The Rhode Island*

"It is just beginning to seem like 1919 to me and it will be a happy year I am sure because it means that I am coming back to the only country on earth with all my feet and hands still attached to me."

"Don't close the station until all of us are out of France. I would miss your letters and I want to see all the folks at the station and thank them for their backing and the interest taken in the boys."

CORP. WM. D. PURCELL

January, 1919. *Somewhere in France*

"My chum called to me and we counted two hundred air planes going over to Germany and they were all in sight at one time and they made me think of a flock of wild geese back in the States."

ALVER GUNN

October, 1918. *Somewhere in France*

"I thank God I am an American and will go down with my comrades if the good Lord so wills that I go that way."

Extract from letter dated August 27, 1918, from Thomas Thomaston, Company F, 167th Infantry, who was killed before his letter reached the Service Station.

"Yesterday was Christmas and believe me we had some dinner—turkey, pies, California cake, dressing, mashed potatoes, celery, tangerines, cigarettes and one cigar and a few other things I did not know any name for—and that makes me think, I thank you many, many times for the Christmas box. You could not have sent anything that would have pleased me more and I assure you it was appreciated by myself and friends."

December 26, 1918. *Co. A, 306th Am. Train*

CORP. WM. D. PURCELL





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LILLIAN WARNER, SECRETARY  
J. L. WELDON  
J. H. HERRARTH  
J. A. SIMMONS

RECEPTION ROOM.  
WAR SERVICE  
STATION, *Lanett*





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WAR SERVICE STATION, *Lanett*



RED CROSS WORK ROOM, *Lanett*



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JOHN KING  
JOHN SIMMONS

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GEO. HEARD

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B. PENNINGTON

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BOB HARRISON

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MISS GRACE STEVENS  
MISS FRANCES WALLACE

## Committee Report

Second Liberty Loan.....	\$1,650.00
Third Liberty Loan.....	53,700.00
Fourth Liberty Loan.....	55,850.00
Victory Liberty Loan.....	30,300.00
Total.....	\$141,500.00

United War Work Fund.....	\$2,451.00
First Red Cross War Fund.....	\$1,822.56
Second Red Cross War Fund.....	\$5,294.00
War Stamps.....	\$104,707.00
Salvation Army Drive.....	\$313.40

## From Lanett Red Cross

Sweaters .....	38
Sox, pairs .....	23
Pajamas, pairs .....	21
Towels .....	44
Bed shirts.....	78
Bandages .....	65
Comfort kits.....	5
Convalescent robes.....	6
Refugee garments.....	1006

Letters written to boys in Service.....	1972
Letters received from boys in Service.....	423
Other letters written.....	291
Number of packages forwarded.....	57
Number of visitors at War Service Station.....	2515
Total now in Service: white 164, colored 37.....	201
Number of Bulletins mailed.....	2648
Killed in action.....	6
Died of disease.....	1
Wounded .....	16



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## Shawmut



Sgt. Curtis Avery  
Amer. Military Com.  
Q.M.C.



Pvt. Herbert Avery  
S.A.T.C.



Pvt. John J. Baker  
Company G  
39th Infantry



Corp. J. C. Barnes  
Company I  
167th Infantry



Corp. D. H. Barnes  
5th Aero Squadron Rep.



Pvt. Floyd Blackwelder,  
S.A.T.C.



Capt. J. I. Bowles  
Company E  
106th Supply Train



Pvt. James Bridges  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Hoyt A. Canady  
Company K  
167th Infantry



Pvt. John Carmack  
7th Co. 13th M.P.C.  
Embarkation Center



Pvt. Elige Champion  
Battery E  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Claudius H. Cole  
(Marine)  
Balloon Det. H A F.



Pvt. J. W. Conway  
Company C  
151st Mach. Gun Btn.



Sgt. Cliff Conway  
Company F  
103d Infantry



Pvt. Marion L. Connell  
Company A  
48th Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. Geo. Cottle  
Battery D  
18th Field Artillery



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Roy D. Coulter  
Marine



Sgt. Jones S. Davis  
Base Hospital 21



Pvt. Jakie S. Edge  
Company K  
1st Pioneers Inf.



Pvt. H. H. Elloit  
20th Co. 5th Tr. Bn.  
156th Depot Brigade



Corp. Howard S. Fling  
Company I  
167th Infantry



Sgt. Kenon Foster  
11th Infantry  
Nov. Repl.



Pvt. G. W. Hollis  
Cas. Company 43  
162d Depot Brigade  
Tent Area 4



Sgt. John F. Hollis  
Squadron 488 Const.



Pvt. Clyde Huff  
Company I  
167th Infantry



Floyd Hughey  
U.S.N.



Pvt. Reuben Howell  
Company I  
Development Battalion



Pvt. T. B. James  
40th Co. 10th Tr. Bn.  
157th Depot Brigade



Pvt. J. M. Jarrell  
Battery D  
129th Field Artillery



Pvt. Walter Jarrell  
4th Prov. Company



Pvt. Adolphus Johnson  
Oversea Casual Co  
24th Camp Pike, A.R.D.



Pvt. Burl D. Jones  
Company E  
167th Infantry



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Wag. R. L. Jones  
H. S. Company  
106th San. Tr.



Pvt. Hiram A. Keel  
Company B  
52d Infantry



Pvt. Geo. Kemp  
Battery C  
6th Field Artillery



Pvt. Mac Lackey  
4th Provisional Co.



Sgt. T. B. Lanier  
Bakery Co. 366  
Quartermaster Corps



Corp. C. M. Lawhorn  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. J. C. Lyons  
Company I  
167th Infantry



Corp. W. F. McCarley  
Company I  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Wm. P. Mangrum  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Wilfred O. Mangrum  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Rance A. Milam  
Company I  
327th Infantry



Pvt. Otis B. Newman  
Company M  
331st Infantry



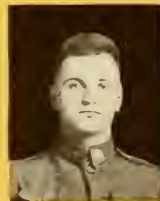
Pvt. N. D. Phillips  
243d M.P. Co.



Pvt. Frank Pitts  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Horace L. Pratt  
801, 343 Q.M.C.



Pvt. Harold Pritchard  
S.A.T.C.



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Lee Ruff  
U.S. Navy  
U.S.S. Von Stubin



Sgt. J. C. Sewell  
Company E  
106th Supply Train



Corp. J. R. Sharpe  
Company B  
102d Infantry



T. A. Simms  
U.S. Navy  
U.S.S. Mt. Vernon



Pvt. Alva Smith  
17th Co. 5th Tr. Bn.  
157th Depot Brigade



Sgt. L. C. Smith  
S.A.T.C.



1st Lieut. A. C. Smith  
301st F. Remount Sqd.



Pvt. E. L. Spivey  
22d Co. 6th Tr. Bn.  
157th Depot Brigade



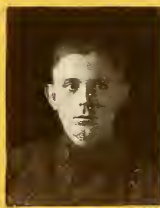
Corp. J. H. Stephens  
Bakery Company 2  
Q.M.C. Det.



J. S. Sledge  
U.S. Navy  
U.S.S. Louisiana



Pvt. Thomas H. Still  
Company G  
161st Infantry



Bugler C. T. Terrell  
Company I  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Thomas M. Aikens  
Battery D  
18th Field Artillery



Pvt. Bennie Thomas  
Marine



Pvt. Thomas G. Tyson  
Company I  
6th Infantry



Wag. John T. Wallace  
Supply Company  
11th Infantry



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W. L. Warren  
U.S. Navy  
U.S.S. Oklahoma



Pvt. Sam J. Warren  
Cas. Company 63  
162d Depot Brigade



Pvt. Kyle Waters  
327th Field Hospital  
307th San. Train



Pvt. Roy Watkins  
Machine Gun Co.  
56th Infantry



Clinton Waters  
U.S. Navy  
U.S.S. Rathburn



Pvt. John D. Whatley  
A. & B. School  
Camp Sevier, S.C.



Pvt. John Deward White  
Hdqtrs. Company  
321st Infantry



Pvt. Olin Whitlaw  
Cas. Company 33  
Cas. Detachment  
162d Depot Brigade



Corp. Paul W. Smith  
Company G  
1st Pioneer Infantry  
2d Bn. H.Q. I.



Pvt. Floyd White  
Company D  
2d Infantry



Pvt. Joe Word  
122d A.C.  
106th San. Train



Pvt. Bernard Manley  
Company A  
113th F. A.



Pvt. N. B. Murphy  
Student Marine Training Corps



Private A. E. Bealrd  
Company I  
327th Infantry

## Roll of Honor

- |                     |                     |                    |
|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| ADCOCK, COY         | HESTLEY, DAN M.     | *RUFF, LEE         |
| *AIKENS, THOMAS     | *HOLLIS, G. W.      | *SEWELL, J. C.     |
| *AVERY, CURTIS      | *HOLLIS, J. F.      | SHARPE, A. E.      |
| *AVERY, HERBERT     | *HOWELL, REUBEN     | *SHARPE, J. R.     |
|                     | *HUFF, CLYDE        | *SIMMS, A. T.      |
| *BAKER, JOHN J.     | *HUGHEY, T. F.      | *SLEDGE, J. S.     |
| *BARNES, D. H.      | HUMPHREY, JEWELL    | *SMITH, ALVA       |
| *BARNES, J. C.      |                     | *SMITH, A. C.      |
| ‡BEARD, A. E.       | *JAMES, T. B.       | *SMITH, COOPER     |
| *BLACKWELDER, FLOYD | *JARRELL, J. M.     | SMITH, ELISH       |
| *BOWLES, J. T.      | *JARRELL, WALTER    | SMITH, ERNEST      |
| ‡*BRIDGES, JIM      | *JOHNSON, ALDOLPHUS | *SMITH, PAUL W.    |
|                     | *JONES, BURL D.     | SMITH, JOHN WILL.  |
| *CANADY, HOYT A.    | *JONES, ROBT. L.    | *SPIVEY, E. L.     |
| *CARMACK, JOHN      | *KEEL, HIRAM H.     | SPIVEY, FORREST    |
| *CHAMPION, LICE     | *KEMP, GEORGE       | *STEPHENS, J. H.   |
| *COLE, CLAUDIUS H.  | KENNINGTON, GRADY   | *STILL, T. H.      |
| *CONNELL, MARION L. | KENNINGTON, JAKE    |                    |
| *CONWAY, CLIFFORD   |                     | TAUNTON, JESSE     |
| *CONWAY, J. W.      | *LACKEY, MAC        | TAYLOR, C. Z.      |
| *COTTELE, GEORGE    | *LANIER, T. B.      | *TERRELL, C. T.    |
| *COULTER, ROY D.    | *LAWHORNE, C. M.    | ‡*THOMAS, BENNIE   |
| CROWDER, LEE        | LINDSEY, O. L.      | *TYSON, THOMAS     |
|                     | *LYONS, J. C.       |                    |
| ‡DABBS, H. L.       | *MANGRUM, WILFORD   |                    |
| *DAVIS, J. S.       | ‡*MANGRUM, WM. P.   | *WALLACE, JOHN T.  |
| DELOACH, BIRDIE E.  | MANLEY, BERNARD     | *WARREN, SAM       |
| DELOACH, O. D.      | *MILAM, RANCE       | *WARREN, W. L.     |
|                     | MURPHY, N. B.       | *WATERS, CLINTON   |
| *EDGE, J. S.        | *MCCARLEY, W. F.    | *WATERS, KYLE      |
| *ELLOIT, HOMER H.   |                     | *WATKINS, ROY W.   |
|                     | *NEWMAN, OTIS B.    | ‡*WHATLEY, JOHN D. |
| *FLING, H. S.       | *PHILLIPS, DENSON   | *WHITE, FLOYD      |
| *FOSTER, KENON      | *PITTS, FRANK       | *WHITE, JOHN D.    |
| FOSTER, RUFUS M.    | *PRATT, HORACE L.   | *WHITLOW, OLIN     |
|                     | *PRITCHARD, HAROLD  | *WORD, JOE         |
| GARRETT, CARL       |                     |                    |

## Colored

- |                    |                   |                    |
|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| BOYD, CHARLIE      | CHAMBERS, JOHN    | LITTLEFIELD, B. K. |
| BOYD, OCIE         | COOPER, JEFF      | MASON, JOHN        |
| BROOKS, AMOS       | COPELAND, GEORGE  | MITTS, JOHN        |
| BROOKS, JESSIE     | GIBSON, B. C.     | OLIVER, WESLEY     |
| BROOKS, WILLIE LEE | ‡HAFFNER, RICHARD | REESE, JOHN T.     |

†Killed in action

‡Died of disease

\*Photo



*Shawmut*

## Extracts of Appreciation

"The people here are different from any other section of France. Their customs and dress are very peculiar, in fact, reminds me very much of the people of Holland. They wear wooden shoes and have a dialect all their own. French people from the more up-to-date parts of France have difficulty in speaking to and understanding them. The country is flat and marshy, and windmills like those of Holland can be seen. It is very pleasant in summer but in the winter I think it must be very cold, for already it is getting very cold at night and in the morning. I do not think we will be here long, though I do not know where we will go from here. Perhaps where the big guns roar and the bombs drop from the skies. Well, we have been anxious to go up front, and no doubt our chance will come some day. We have been doing some mighty important work back here in the S. O. S. but it is the nature of an American to want to be where the excitement is thickest."

J. F. H.

October 8, 1918

"This helmet was picked up on the morning of October 16th as we were returning to the rear from a convoy in the heart of the Argonne, near the village of Cheppy. The wearer who had fallen earlier in the day was an old soldier perhaps sixty-five years old and belonged to the 419th Division of the Saxon Bombardiers. More than a hundred German and American Troops lay dead within sight.

"The probable cause of his death was high explosive, as he was torn up very badly. "In an area of two square miles many hundred of these could have been gathered. I took an interest in this one on account of its high polish for camouflage purposes, something new to us at that time."

A. C. S.

"We spent quite a different life from this in the English waters where we put in many monotonous months waiting for the Hun to come out. We were sorry he came out the way he did for we were just aching to exchange broadsides with him.

"My ship convoyed one-half million troops through what is called the 'Submarines' Graveyard,' off the coast of Ireland, during the months of September and October."

January 1, 1919

W. W.

"The boys in the outfit I belong to were the first to cross the Meuse River and were in the first lines when the guns stopped firing at 11 o'clock on the 11th day on the 11th month in the year 1918."

J. T. W.

December 21, 1918

## Extracts of Appreciation

"I now belong to the Army of Occupation. We are going through what is to my thinking the prettiest country yet. My battery has hiked some four hundred and twenty-five kilometers since we fired our last barrage—and believe me, that was some barrage—'The Million Dollar One'. It will take a long time before I forget it. I stood on a hill and watched and listened. IT WAS GREAT. I guess about ten or twelve regiments of the American Artillery and I don't know how many of the French took part. The best of old Heinie's guns were being used. If he knew the sound of them as well as we did, he knew that we were firing his OWN guns at him. They have a very peculiar and creepy sound, see?"

G. F. K.

December 4, 1918

"I had the pictures struck yesterday. And to show you how much speed there is here in France—for this is an instance of real speed—

"The guy who runs the shop pounded me on the back and said, 'Bon, bon-apres un mayr photo finie'. Anybody that has to put up with that kind of lingo and fight this war has sure got some job. Well, after tearing out about all of my hair and using three different Franco-American dictionaries I finally managed to get this out of the scraps, 'Good, good, after one month, picture finished'.

"Remember that was only yesterday."

C. H.

October 25, 1918

"If this letter reaches you safely you can say it came through from the infernal regions, for if there was ever a 'Hell's Half Acre' this must be it. Put your finger on the biggest forest in France and say I'm there. Six weeks like a rat, three of which is like a whirlwind sweeping through Hades day or night, no rest, but forever watching, waiting, working by candle light deep down in a dug-out, or no light at all. This certainly cannot last much longer. It does us good to know there is one place where everything is like it used to be. I certainly am glad SHAWMUT is still natural and hope someday soon to get back there and take up my work where I left off."

A. C. S.

"I wish to express my sincere appreciation of the personal letter service which has been rendered me. It is the wonderful and unselfish spirit of the folks back home, which has made the men of the A. E. F. willing and eager to 'carry on'."

December 22, 1918

J. S. D.

"I was sitting on my bunk trying to write these few lines, when my bunkie jumped up all at once and said a few words (I can't tell you what he said). At first I thought that he was shot but I found out what the trouble was, only a 'cootie bite'."

September 23, 1918

D. H. B.





# DEFENDERS of DEMOCRACY

Shawmut

## Extracts of Appreciation

"If there is one thing that stands out preeminently in a soldier's daily schedule across the sea, as to helpfulness it is 'that letter' or little bit of news from home (America) If you good people who are carrying on the work of the 'Home Guards' could see the eager faces of the Yanks at mail time, as they congregate for mail distributions, I am sure you would agree that time spent in writing to 'Over There' boys, is at least appreciated to the fullest."

J. H. S.

September 22, 1918

"I appreciate having my name on the list at the War Service Station very much. I enjoy the Bulletin from the first to the last and hope I'll never miss one as long as the war lasts."

H. A.

October 6, 1918

"I was indeed surprised, a few days since, to receive a letter from you good people of my old home town reminding me that you still remember me and appreciate the effort that we boys are making to do our 'bit' for the just and righteous cause in which we are all enlisted.

"Your promise to write us from time to time of the items of interest at home especially gratifying, for local news nowadays, possesses far more interest and diversion for us than does the doings and happenings of the remainder of the 'great, wide, beautiful, wonderful world'."

C. T. T.

July 10, 1918

"It makes one feel good to know that he is remembered back home, not only by his parents, but by his friends as well. You don't know, you can't know, just how much good you are doing and just how it makes us feel when stationed at a remote camp, where we know no one, to get a letter from friends at home, who are interested in us. It makes us feel as though nothing on earth could prevent us from winning this war—and *we shall win*.

R. D. C.

June 21, 1918

"We leave this port the tenth of December and proceed nine hundred miles off this coast and meet President Wilson and his party, who are coming over to the Peace Conference on the George Washington, convoyed by the super-dreadnaught, Pennsylvania, and six destroyers.

"There are nine big dreadnaughts in our fleet lying here who will go out and convoy them to Brest, France."

W. L. W.

December 8, 1918





DEFENDERS of

DEMOCRACY

*Shawmut*



WAR SERVICE STATION, *Shawmut*



WAR SERVICE COMMITTEE, *Shawmut*

G. C. WAGNON

MRS. JACK PLAUT, ASS'T SEC'Y

C. A. SINGLETERRY

J. R. EDWARDS

J. T. HOLLIS

MRS. MARY M. BUGG, SEC'Y

GEO. W. MURPHY



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# DEMOCRACY

*Shawmut*



RED CROSS WORK ROOM, Shawmut



RECEPTION ROOM, WAR SERVICE STATION, Shawmut

## Committees

## Y. M. C. A. DRIVE

Subscription, \$338.35

RED CROSS CHRISTMAS  
MEMBERSHIP DRIVEEDWARDS, J. R.  
MURPHY, G. W.  
WHITEHEAD, J. L.

Subscription, \$100.00

## RED CROSS WAR FUND DRIVE

BUGG, Mrs.  
EDWARDS, J. R.  
WAGNON, Mrs.  
WHITEHEAD, J. L.

Subscription, \$1,186.00

RED CROSS CHRISTMAS  
ROLL CALLBUGG, Mrs. M. M.  
JONES, T. T.  
KEMP, Mrs. F. S.

Subscription, \$150.00

## UNITED WAR FUND DRIVE

COLE, LOYD  
CROWDER, J. J.  
CROWDER, WALT  
HERRING, DR.  
HOLLIS, J. T.  
JOHNSON, E. J.  
JONES, T. T.  
KEMP, F. S.  
MURPHY, G. W.  
PRITCHARD, Mrs. P.  
SINGLETERRY, C. A.  
UNDERWOOD, W. L.  
WAGNON, G. C.  
WALLS, J. S.

Subscription, \$1,944.10

## ARMENIAN RELIEF FUND

Subscription, \$101.50

## SALVATION ARMY DRIVE

Subscription, \$100.70

## SECOND LIBERTY LOAN

JONES, T. T.  
MURPHY, G. W.  
MURPHY, O. G.  
SINGLETERRY, C. A.  
WAGNON, G. C.

Subscription, \$1,750.00

## THIRD LIBERTY LOAN

CROWDER, J. J.  
EDWARDS, J. R.  
HOLLIS, J. T.  
JOHNSON, E. J.  
JONES, T. T.  
KEMP, F. S.  
KEMP, Miss GRACE  
MURPHY, G. W.  
MURPHY, O. G.  
SINGLETERRY, C. A.  
WAGNON, G. C.  
WALLS, J. S.  
UNDERWOOD, W. L.

Subscription, \$24,350.00

## FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN

CROWDER, J. J.  
EDWARDS, J. R.  
HOLLIS, J. T.  
JOHNSON, E. J.  
JONES, Mrs. T. T.  
JONES, T. T.  
KEMP, F. S.  
MURPHY, G. W.  
MURPHY, O. G.  
PRITCHARD, DR. P.  
SINGLETERRY, C. A.  
UNDERWOOD, W. L.  
WAGNON, G. C.  
WALLS, J. S.  
WHITEHEAD, J. W.

Subscription, \$25,200.00

## VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN

Subscription, \$10,500.00

## WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

Subscription, \$10,500.00

	Total
Liberty and Victory Loans.....	\$61,800.00
War Saving Stamps.....	10,500.00
United War Fund.....	1,944.10
Membership and Subscription Red Cross.....	1,436.00
Y. M. C. A.....	338.35
Salvation Army.....	100.70
Armenian Relief.....	101.50



Shawmut

## Committee Report

Number of boys who left for Service from Shawmut.....	111
Number of colored boys.....	14
Number of boys discharged before War Service Station started.....	5
Number of boys whose address was unlocated.....	10
	29
Number of boys on writing list.....	82
Number of boys who died in Service.....	7
Number of boys known to be wounded.....	20
Number of boys who have written to War Service Station.....	61
Number of visitors to Station.....	2950
Number of letters sent to boys in Service.....	1267
Number of other letters mailed.....	464
Number of Bulletins mailed.....	1650
Number of packages forwarded.....	125
Number of letters received from boys in Service.....	283
Number of pieces of mail sent out from War Service Station.....	3188

## From Shawmut Red Cross

T bandages.....	91	Comfort bags.....	5
Bed shirts.....	48	Refugee shirts.....	5
Triangular bandages.....	103	Convalescent robes.....	10
Abdominal bandages.....	79	Garments to Belgian and French refugees.....	482
Sweaters.....	116	Towels in shower.....	125
Sox, pairs.....	11	Influenza masks for influenza epidemic.....	1000
Refugee aprons.....	20	Garments in Christmas box.....	160
Helpless case shirts.....	12	Inspection of boys' Christmas boxes.	
Pajamas, pairs.....	20		
Refugee dresses.....	10		

## Junior Red Cross

Collected 1917-1918.....	\$60.00	Hospital blanket.....	1
Collected 1918-1919.....	50.00	Sox, pairs.....	15
Sweaters.....	6	Utility bags.....	10

Monthly hospital booklets.

# DEFENDERS *of*

# DEMOCRACY

*Langdale*



Grady Allen  
U.S.S. Susquehanna



Pvt. William F. Bailey  
Battery E  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Charles Bailey  
Battery D  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. James Arthur Bates  
38th Co. 10th Tr. Bn.  
157th Depot Brigade



Pvt. William A. Blanks  
Hdqtrs. Military Police



Pvt. Walter Blackwell  
57th Company  
M.T.C.



Lieut. J. Mem Bohannon  
Company I  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Walter T. Bohannon  
Cavalry Camp Remount



Bugler Henry J. Brannon  
Battery F  
50th Artillery C.A.C.



Douglas Brittingham  
U.S.S. Pennsylvania



Pvt. Poet Canady  
Company C  
321st Infantry



Pvt. Alsberry Carlisle  
9th Company  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Johnnie E. Carriker  
Truck Company 2  
106th Am. Train



Cook Eddie L. Crawford  
Hdqtrs. Troop  
4th Division



Pvt. Robert R. Crawford  
Company A  
29th Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. J. Ben Crenshaw  
57th Company  
M.T.D.



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Pvt. Amos M. Crenshaw  
Cas. Company 465



Pvt. Roy Culberson  
Company H  
328th Infantry



Pvt. Ocie Lee Deloach  
F.R.S. 327



Pvt. Richmond Earles  
Company 5  
H.Q.R.S.



Pvt. Joseph A. Fobus  
Battery E  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Rufus M. Foster  
327th Field Hospital  
307th San. Train



Luther Frazier  
Sub Chaser 204



Pvt. W. A. Fuller  
Supply Co.  
321st Infantry



Sgt. Jesse L. Glass  
A.P.O. 927



Pvt. Keener Gray  
3d Prov. Company  
O.A.R.D.



Pvt. Austin M. Hornsby  
Hdqtrs. Company  
17th Infantry



Pvt. Ronald E. James  
Battery D  
114th Field Artillery



Pvt. Olin Johnson  
Company D  
89th Infantry



Pvt. James Lee Johnson  
21st Company  
R.R.D.



Cook Ellis Joseph  
Base Hospital



Pvt. Oscar W. Kent  
26th Company  
130th Bn. M.P.C.



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Hugh S. Bates  
Naval Training Station



Pvt. Ocie Laney  
Supply Company  
10th F.A., A.P.O. 740



Sgt. Thomas Landreth  
Company F  
17th Infantry



Pvt. S. H. Lauderdale  
69th Company  
6th Group



Sgt. Homer McClendon  
Company B  
U.S.A. Gen. Hosp. 36



Sgt. Sam McDonald  
Company F  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Benjamin F. McGarr  
Battery F  
7th Field Artillery



Pvt. William C. Manning  
Company B  
47th Reg. T.C.



Eulos Moon  
U.S. Naval Air Station



Clarence Morris  
U.S.S. Cincinnati



James M. Newton  
U.S.S. Anniston



Pvt. Will O'Neal  
Cas. Company 61  
162d Depot Brigade



Pvt. Amos Orrick  
Troop A  
14th Cavalry



Pvt. Fred Perryman  
Company M  
49th Infantry



Pvt. Luther Shelnut  
Cas. Company 43  
162d Depot Brigade



Pvt. Walter Lee Smith  
4th Company  
O.A.R.D. Automatic



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Pvt. Douglas M. Smith  
Hdqtrs. Company  
57th Infantry



Pvt. G. F. Tankersley  
Battery E  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Zachery Thompson  
71st Company  
6th Group M.T.D.



Pvt. J. O. Threadgill  
17th Company  
162d Depot Brigade



Ellis Waller  
Naval Training Station  
Reg. 4 Sec. 9



Sgt. Luke Wesson  
Supply Company  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Walter H. Whatley  
3d Ordnance Guard Co.



Pvt. Johnnie Williams  
Bakery Company 358



Pvt. Tommy Young  
Company G  
2d Training Regiment

# DEFENDERS of DEMOCRACY

Langdale

## Roll of Honor

ALLEN, GRADY	DELOACH, OCIE LEE	MCCLENDON, HOMER
BAILEY, CHARLES	EARLES, RICHMOND	MCDONALD, SAM
BAILEY, WILLIAM F.	EARLES, SCHUSLER	MCGARR, BENJAMIN F.
BASSETT, BRYANT	FOBUS, JOSEPH ADIE	NEWTON, JAMES M.
BATES, HUGH S.	FOSTER, RUFUS M.	O'NEAL, WILL
BATES, JAMES ARTHUR	FOSTER, WALTER LEE	ORRICK, AMOS
BLACKWELL, WALTER	FRAZIER, LUTHER	‡PERRYMAN, FRED
BLANKS, WILLIAM A.	FULLER, W. A.	ROBERTS, ANDREW
‡BOHANNON, J. MEM	GLASS, JESSEE L.	SHELNUT, LUTHER
†BOHANNON, WALTER T.	GRAY, KEENER	SMITH, CHARLES M.
BOON, GRADY	HORNSBY, AUSTIN M.	SMITH, DOUGLAS M.
BRANNON, HENRY J.	JAMES, RONALD E.	SMITH, WALTER LEE
BRITTINGHAM, DOUGLAS	‡JOHNSON, JAMES LEE	‡STANFIELD, CHARLIE D.
CANADY, POET	JOHNSON, OLIN	STEPHENS, ALBERT E.
CARLISLE, ALSBERRY	JOSEPH, ELLIS	TANKERSLEY, GEORGE F.
CARRIKER, JOHNNIE E.	KENT, OSCAR W.	THOMPSON, ZACHARY
CRAWFORD, EDDIE L.	LANDRETH, THOMAS	THREADGILL, J. O.
CRAWFORD, ROBERT R.	LANEY, OCIE	TYSON, FRED
CRENSHAW, AMOS M.	‡LAUDERDALE, S. H.	WALLER, ELLIS
CRENSHAW, J. BEN	MANNING, WILLIAM C.	WESSON, LUKE
CROWDER, OTIS	MOON, EULOS	WHATLEY, WALTER H.
CULBERSON, ROY	MORRIS, CLARENCE	WILLIAMS, JOHNNIE
DANIEL, EUGENE R.		YOUNG, TOMMY

## Colored

BROOKS, JESS	ISON, GUSS	TAYLOR, MANUAL
FINLEY, ALTON	TAYLOR, GUY	WINSTON, FRANK

†Died of disease  
‡Killed in action





# DEFENDERS of DEMOCRACY

*Langdale*

## Extracts of Appreciation

"I appreciate all the letters which you have written to me and it certainly livens a fellow up and makes him feel good to receive all the news from home and know just what is being done."

"I am proud to be represented in the service flag."

"Am glad to hear from you and to know that you are doing such wonderful work for the boys."

"Thanking you all for the joy that comes with your ever welcome letters."

"I want you to tell your fellow members in the War Service Station that as a man in the service I can heartily appreciate the work you are doing for the benefit of the men in the service and I think it is a splendid thing."

"Please accept my sincere thanks for all the letters, magazines and other things you have sent."

"Thanking you for remembering me and wishing you much success with your work."

"Am sure this system will prove a success as the boys will all appreciate the work of the Service Station."

"I am grateful to you and proud of our War Service Station."

"I am sure the good work that the Langdale War Service Station is doing for the boys in the service is very much appreciated. No one has an idea what it means until they are in the Service and are remembered as we are by the Service Station."


"Can assure you that your letters and all good work is more than appreciated."

"My best wishes for a prosperous Station, but then how could it be otherwise when it is for the good of Democracy and especially for the Liberty of these dear old 'United States'."

"I am not going to try to thank you for all the good news and letters I received when I reached port, this time. It was just grand."

"If you could visit this place once, my dear friends, you would know what a good place the U. S. A. is. Everything is out of date, even the women are all curious looking."

"It may be six or eight months before I get back to dear old Langdale. Of course it seems very hard to stay, but if my country needs me I am willing."





# DEFENDERS of DEMOCRACY

*Langdale*



WAR SERVICE COMMITTEE, *Langdale*

W. H. ENLOE, CHAIRMAN  
W. T. DRAPER

A. C. BOYD  
C. M. MOORE

W. L. CLARK  
MISS OLLIE GARDNER, SECRETARY



RED CROSS WORK ROOM, *Langdale*



DEFENDERS of

DEMOCRACY

*Langdale*



WAR SERVICE STATION, *Langdale*



INTERIOR WAR SERVICE STATION, *Langdale*

# DEFENDERS *of*

# DEMOCRACY

*Langdale*

## Committees

Subscriptions to First Liberty Loan were through the bank and we have no record of them.

### SECOND LIBERTY LOAN

Subscription, \$5,000.00

### THIRD LIBERTY LOAN

L. LANIER, *V.-Chairman of Chambers Co.*

W. H. ENLOE, *Chairman of Langdale*

Subscription, \$40,600.00

### FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN

L. LANIER, *V.-Chairman of Chambers Co.*

CARL M. MOORE, *Chairman of Langdale*

Subscription, \$14,900.00

### UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN

A. C. BOYD, *Chairman of Langdale*

Subscription, \$1,797.75

### Y. M. C. A.

Subscription, \$625.00

### VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN

W. H. ENLOE, *Chairman*

Subscription, \$10,100.00

### FIRST RED CROSS WAR FUND

W. H. ENLOE, *Chairman of Langdale*

Subscription, \$2,353.02

### SECOND RED CROSS WAR FUND

L. LANIER, *Chairman of Chambers Co.*

W. H. ENLOE, *Chairman of Langdale*

Subscription, \$2,390.03

### WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

A. C. BOYD, *Chairman of Chambers Co.*

GEO. T. JOHNSON, *Chairman of Langdale*

Subscription, \$32,000.00

### LANGDALE CHAPTER RED CROSS

MRS. L. LANIER, *Chairman*

### FOUR-MINUTE-MEN

CARL M. MOORE, *Chairman*

A. C. BOYD

W. H. ENLOE

W. L. CLARK

W. T. DRAPER

### SALVATION ARMY DRIVE

CARL MOORE, *Chairman*

Subscription, \$160.00

	Total
Liberty and Victory Loans.....	\$70,600.00
Membership and Subscription Red Cross.....	4,743.05
Y. M. C. A.....	625.00
Salvation Army.....	160.00
United War Fund.....	1,797.75
War Saving Stamps.....	32,000.00





# DEFENDERS of DEMOCRACY

Langdale

## Committee Report


Letters written boys in Service.....	894
Letters from boys in Service.....	263
Miscellaneous letters written.....	564
Number of parcels or packages forwarded.....	363
Number of visitors at Station.....	1623
Boys leaving during month for Service.....	
Total number in Service.....	74
Number of Bulletins mailed.....	1153
Killed in action.....	4
Died of wounds.....	1
Died of disease.....	1
Wounded .....	2

## From Langdale Red Cross

Sweaters .....	56
Sox, pairs .....	166
Triangular bandages .....	326
T bandages .....	292
Abdominal bandages .....	255
Bed shirts .....	92
Hospital shirts .....	10
Refugee aprons .....	45
Refugee dresses .....	20
Pajamas, pairs .....	24
Operating robes .....	12
Refugee garments .....	1202
Bath towels .....	100
Shoes, pairs .....	13

## Junior Red Cross

Triangular bandages .....	50
Refugee garments .....	167
Cash .....	\$5.00
Scrap books .....	30
Barrels of nuts collected.....	4
Pounds of tinfoil collected.....	15
Property bags .....	20



# DEFENDERS of

# DEMOCRACY

*Fairfax*



Pvt. Edwin Abernathy  
Company F  
321st Infantry



Pvt. Young T. Abernathy  
Company B  
46th Engineers



Pvt. Albert Carl Austin  
Company F  
3d Training Regiment



Pvt. Sam A. Bradshaw  
325th Ambulance Co.  
307th Sanitary Train



Corp. James P. Bradfield  
Company C  
1st Gas Regiment



Ensign Frank L. Branson  
Naval Flying Corps



Seaman Alvin F. Bradfield  
U.S.S. Shaw



Pvt. Calvin G. Bradfield  
Company E  
1st Regiment Engineers



Pvt. Herbert Bradshaw  
Detached Infantry  
Adj. Gen. Office Georgia



Pvt. John W. Brittain  
Company C  
45th Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. Thomas A. Broome  
3d Battery  
R.A.R.R.



Pvt. Claude L. Carter  
Company H  
26th Infantry



Pvt. Leonard Carter  
Company D  
307th Engineers



Pvt. Y. Toxie Chambley  
Company C  
321st Infantry



Pvt. James E. Combs  
S.A.T.C. Infantry



Pvt. Homer D. Chambley  
Battery D  
70th Field Artillery



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Pvt. Leonard M. Chapman  
Mach. Gun Company  
321st Infantry



Pvt. E. T. Combs  
Quartermaster Corps  
Naval Aviation T.C.



Pvt. Forest Davis  
Company 39  
Recruiting Camp



Pvt. Nello M. Dixon  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. I. Grady Dixon  
Hdqtrs. Troops  
82d Division



Pvt. Leon Duffey  
Company A  
165th Infantry



Pvt. Terry Aubrey Dunn  
Company H  
167th Infantry



Pvt. Robert Ennis  
Hdqtrs. Company  
55th Infantry



Pvt. J. T. Franklin  
Bakery Company 365



Cook Curtis R. Gauntt  
Battery B  
321st Infantry



Sgt. Wm. P. Gilliland  
Company E  
106th Am. Train



Pvt. Charles W. Glass  
Company F  
151st Infantry



Pvt. Jno. V. Haerenborgh  
R.R.D. No. 3



Sailor Jos. E. Hall  
U.S.S. ———



Pvt. R. E. Wilson  
634 Aero Squadron



Pvt. Henry Hodnett  
Company 17  
5th Receiving Btn.



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Pvt. Arthur Hollis  
Battery D  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. Thomas E. Kinney  
Company E  
106th Sup. Train



2d Lt. H. B. Kirkpatrick  
21st Company  
Infantry Reserve Corps



Pvt. Jessie E. Landers  
Company E  
1st Development Btn.



Pvt. Polie L. Lilly  
Battery D  
114th Field Artillery



Pvt. Will McIntyre  
21st Company  
R.R.D.



2d Cl. Fmn. B. F. Martin  
U.S.S. Newton



Pvt. W. Evin Martin  
Company I  
327th Infantry



Corp. T. E. Middleton  
106th Trench  
Mortar Battery



Pvt. Johnnie Moore  
19th Company  
5th Training Btn.  
157th Depot Brigade



1st Lt. J. C. Morgan  
233d Amb. Company  
9th Sanitary Train



Sailor Carl Newton  
U.S.S. Orion



Pvt. Walter Nichols  
7th Regiment  
M. B. School



Pvt. George W. Norrell  
Battery D  
18th Field Artillery



1st Cl. Fmn. C. Oliver  
U.S.S. Patterson



Yeoman T. M. Piper  
U.S.S. Baltimore



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Pvt. Rubin Powell  
Ft. Oglethorpe, Ga.



Pvt. Geo. W. Reaves  
Company A  
51st Infantry



Pvt. Wm. D. Satterwhite  
Company D  
20th Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. Tom W. Smith  
Field Remount Sqd. 33



Pvt. John T. Smith  
Field Remount Sqd. 330



Pvt. John L. Smith  
Company D  
321st Infantry



Pvt. Fred L. Stalnaker  
76th Group  
6th M.T.D.



Corp. W. L. Stalnaker  
Company D  
161st Infantry



Pvt. C. D. Stalnaker  
64th Company  
16th Receiving Bn.



Pvt. Henry Taunton  
Company D  
5th Mach. Gun Btn.



Pvt. Jesse Taunton  
Company M  
152d Infantry



Pvt. Dewey Taylor  
Company G  
20th Mach. Gun Btn.



Sgt. Henry Guy Taylor  
Supply Company  
2d Infantry



Pvt. Cephas Taylor  
Company B  
3d Regiment



Pvt. William C. Taylor  
Battery B  
149th Field Artillery



Pvt. Homer E. Thomas  
Company G  
161st Infantry

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Pvt. T. Howard Turner  
Company B  
Development Bn.



Pvt. Emmett Welch  
5th Company  
Air Service



Sgt. Harvey A. Welch  
106th Mobile  
Ordnance Repair Shop



Pvt. Joe Wessinger  
Battery F  
114th Field Artillery



William M. Whittington  
Company I  
167th Reg. 42nd Div.



Pvt. A. C. Williams  
Aero Squadron  
Roosevelt Field



Corp. James E. Williams  
Battery E  
117th Field Artillery



Pvt. G. Harold Williams  
Company B  
17th Engineers



Pvt. Oscar L. Williams  
Headquarters Company  
321st Infantry Band



Pvt. John O. Williams  
Company C  
1st Division Battalion



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## Roll of Honor

ABERNATHY, EDWIN  
ABERNATHY, YOUNG T.  
AUSTIN, ALBERT CARL

BOZEMAN, HUGH  
BRADFIELD, ALVIN F.  
BRADFIELD, CALVIN C.  
BRADFIELD, JAMES P.  
BRADSHAW, HERBERT  
BRADSHAW, SAM A.  
BRANSON, FRANK L.  
BRITTAIN, JOHN W.  
BROOME, THOMAS A.  
BRYAN, C. JESSE

CARTER, CLAUDE L.  
CARTER, LEONARD  
CAUSEY, R. M.  
CHAMBLEY, HOMER D.  
CHAMBLEY, Y. TOXIE  
CHAPMAN, LEONARD M.  
COMBS, ELISHA T.  
COMBS, JAMES E.

DAVIS, FOREST  
DIXON, I. GRADY  
DIXON, NELLO M.  
DUFFEY, LEON  
‡DUNN, TERRY A.  
ENNIS, ROBERT  
FRANKLIN, J. T.

GILLILAND, WILLIAM P.  
GAUNTT, CURTIS R.  
GLASS, CHARLES W.

HAERENBORGH, JOHN V.  
HALL, EDGAR  
HAMER, ERNEST  
HERRON, R. A.  
HILL, A. L.  
HODNETT, HENRY  
HOLLIS, ARTHUR

JACKSON, ERBY L.

KINNEY, THOMAS E.  
KIRKPATRICK, HAROLD B.

LANDERS, JESSE E.  
LASTER, WILLIE  
LILLY, POLIE L.

MARTIN, B. FRANK  
MARTIN, W. EVIN  
MIDDLETON, THOMAS E.  
MILLS, GEORGE J.  
MOORE, JOHNNIE  
MORGAN, JAMES C.  
MCINTYRE, WILL

NEWTON, CARL  
NICHOLS, WALTER  
NORREL, GEORGE W.  
OLIVER, CLAUDE

POWELL, RUBIN  
PIPER, TALLY W.

REAVES, GEORGE W.  
ROBERTS, JAMES B.

SATTERWHITE, WM. D.  
SMITH, JOHN T.  
SMITH, JOHN L.  
SMITH, THOMAS W.  
STALNAKER, CHARLES D.  
STALNAKER, FRED L.  
STALNAKER, WILLIE L.

TAYLOR, CEPHAS  
TAYLOR, DEWEY  
TAYLOR, HENRY GUY  
TAYLOR, WILLIAM C.  
TAUNTON, HENRY  
TAUNTON, JESSE  
THOMAS, HOMER E.  
TURNER, THADIOUS H.

WELCH, EMMETT  
WELCH, HARVEY A.  
WESSINGER, JOE  
WHITTINGTON, WM. M.  
WILLIAMS, A. C.  
WILLIAMS, G. HAROLD  
WILLIAMS, JOHN O.  
WILLIAMS, JAMES E.  
WILLIAMS, OSCAR L.  
WILSON, ROBERT L.

## Colored

ALEXANDER, JOHN, JR.  
BURDETTE, WALTER  
BURTON, BOB  
DUKES, ABE  
FORD, OTTO  
FORD, ROBERT

GATES, G. C.  
HEARD, FISHER  
HEART, ERNEST  
HEEL, LEWIS  
HOWARD, JEFF  
HUTCHINSON, WILLIE

MOODY, BOB  
PETTILLO, J. L.  
ROSS, JIM  
WARE, ERLEY  
WILKINS, SAM

‡Killed in action

## Extracts of Appreciation

"It's a tough proposition; it's a terrible thing, but we know that some blood has to be spilled and we are willing to let it flow for the cause and the best country on earth."

"I am always overjoyed to hear or receive news from my dear friends at home."

"The French people go wild over the U. S. boys. One can't get lonesome or homesick, they treat you too good."

"I am still on the destroyer, *Shaw*, and we hunt 'subs' most every day."

"'Tis needless to say that the letters and Bulletins which I received today brought one grand little message and a feeling of comradeship into my heart. I appreciate them very, very much and I enjoy them more and more."

"I don't want to quit until the job is finished."

"Your encouragement, our bullets, and it's all over."

"I am happy that it fell my lot to serve for our grand and noble country in her fight for Democracy."

"I hear that we are going to France. I am just 'crazy' to go."

"Your letters have given me a great deal of pleasure and I can imagine the joy they cause the fellows who have gone across."

"I have been living under the ground since I have been on the front. Don't know how I would feel if I could get into a house again."

"If it wasn't for the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A. and the Service Station, I don't see how we could get along."

"I have been in action and I feel more than ever that there must be no peace without victory and every soldier I have met shares that feeling."

"You would feel a deep new tender feeling for France and her people if you could see them carry the Stars and Stripes so proudly, and note the feeling toward the American soldier."

"Well, they say that we have had a war in France and that it has come to an abrupt close. Isn't it strange how easily and how swiftly we put a serious crimp into the great German mass? I can't realize it—it seems a long dream."

"I have been in England, France, Belgium, Luxemburg, and on the line of Germany since I have been in Europe."

"Since the Armistice we have been on quite a long hike; followed the great and final retreat of the Kaiser's *grand army*. We are stationed now a few kilometers beyond the River Rhine, on a hill overlooking the city of Coblenz."

"Sorry that the other boys didn't get to see France; they missed the real fun, a trip that they wouldn't ever forget."



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RED CROSS WORK ROOM, *Fairfax*



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WAR SERVICE STATION, *Fairfax*



INTERIOR WAR SERVICE STATION, *Fairfax*



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## Committees

### FIRST LIBERTY LOAN

Some subscribed, but no organized work done.

### SECOND LIBERTY LOAN

F. L. BRANSON, *Chairman*  
C. KIRKPATRICK  
P. C. RAMSEY  
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J. E. HOWELL  
Subscription, \$1,500.00

### THIRD LIBERTY LOAN

F. L. BRANSON, *Chairman*  
R. E. SMITH  
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C. KIRKPATRICK  
J. E. B. MARTIN  
VANA COMBS  
Subscription, \$33,700.00

### FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN

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J. E. B. MARTIN  
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### FIRST RED CROSS FUND

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LON COMBS  
J. E. B. MARTIN  
Miss MAUD JAMES  
Subscription, \$1,200.00

### SALVATION ARMY DRIVE

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Miss MAUD JAMES  
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### SECOND RED CROSS FUND

R. E. SMITH, *Chairman*  
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J. E. B. MARTIN  
C. KIRKPATRICK  
LON COMBS  
F. P. BRADFIELD  
Subscription, \$2,150.00

### Y. M. C. A.

C. KIRKPATRICK, *Chairman*  
R. E. SMITH  
J. E. B. MARTIN  
VANA COMBS  
J. E. HOWELL  
Subscription, \$572.75

### UNITED WAR WORK CAMPAIGN

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F. P. BRADFIELD  
VANA COMBS  
J. E. B. MARTIN  
P. C. RAMSEY  
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J. L. BOWLES  
D. W. SIMMS  
R. E. SMITH  
P. C. RAMSEY  
A. G. POPE  
Subscriptions, \$17,700.00

### VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN

F. L. BRANSON  
D. W. SIMS  
JACK DAVIS  
J. C. DAWE  
Subscription, \$14,800.00

	Total
Liberty and Victory Loans.....	\$75,700.00
United War Fund.....	1,740.00
Membership and Subscription Red Cross.....	3,350.00
Salvation Army Drive.....	140.00
War Saving Stamps.....	17,700.00
Y. M. C. A.....	572.75

## Committee Report

Total number of letters written to boys in Service.....	1158
Total number of letters received from boys in Service.....	205
Total number of other letters written.....	447
Total number of packages or parcels forwarded.....	326
Total number of visitors at War Service Station.....	1232
Total number of boys in Service.....	101
Total number of Bulletins mailed.....	1496
Total number killed in action.....	1
Died of disease or wounds.....	1
Total number wounded.....	6

## From the Fairfax Red Cross

Bed shirts .....	36	Table doilies .....	60
Helpless case shirts.....	40	Tray cloths .....	24
Convalescent robes .....	4	Aprons, women's refugee.....	12
Pajamas, American .....	5	Dresses, children's refugee.....	22
Triangular bandages .....	48	Housegowns, women's refugee..	6
T bandages .....	8	Morning blouses, women's	
Abdominal bandages .....	4	refugee .....	6
Comfort bags .....	5	Petticoats, women's refugee.....	12
Pillow cases .....	12	Helmets .....	3
Sheets .....	24	Mufflers .....	5
Hand towels .....	206	Sweaters, sleeveless .....	24
Bath towels .....	100	Socks for soldiers.....	52
Wash cloths .....	24	Influenza masks for home use....	600
Total weight of garments donated for refugee boxes, pounds.....	881		
Total number of Christmas boxes packed for soldiers.....	28		

## Junior Red Cross

Triangular bandages .....	36
Towels .....	72
Wristlets .....	6



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## Riverview



Pvt. W. C. Anthony  
Headquarters Company  
321st F. A. Band  
American Ex. F.



Pvt. Roy B. Anthony  
28th Company  
157th Depot Brigade  
Camp Gordon, Ga.



Pvt. Marvin Baker  
82d Field Artillery  
Battery A  
Fort Bliss, Tex.



Pvt. Fonzy O. Barnett  
Company B  
46th Engineers  
American Ex. Forces



Pvt. Archie L. Blackmon  
Hdqtrs. Troop  
8th Cavalry  
Marfa, Texas



Pvt. Joe Chappell  
M.G. Repl. Co. 1  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. John Gay  
Company I  
123rd Infantry  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. Tyler Grant  
Base Hospital  
Ward 19  
Camp Sevier, S. C.



Pvt. Fred Hunt  
U.S.A. Training Det.  
Auburn, Ala.



Pvt. Crew Hunt  
U.S.A. Training Det.  
Auburn, Ala.



Pvt. Elbert E. Lewis  
Company B  
30th U.S. Infantry  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. Jasper J. Lewis  
Hdqtrs. Company  
56th Infantry  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. Joe McCann  
Battery D  
118th Field Artillery  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. Levi McKinney  
Company E  
12th Infantry  
Camp Hill, Va.



Pvt. James D. Milner  
Company 5  
Depot Brigade  
Camp Wheeler, Ga.



Pvt. Jesse B. Milner  
Company 8  
Repl. Camp  
Camp Wheeler, Ga.

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Pvt. Glenn Milner  
Company C  
321st Infantry  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. R. O. Ogletree  
32d Div. M.P.  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. Nute Paschal  
Battery C  
54th Field Artillery  
Camp Travis, Texas



Pvt. Henry Paschal  
Company I  
148th Infantry  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. William G. Prather  
Battery E  
117th Field Artillery  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Sgt. Maj. L. L. Scales  
1st Battalion  
328th Infantry



Pvt. Dock Smith  
Company H  
107th Infantry  
Amer. Ex. Forces



Pvt. Arnold Waller  
53d H.A. Batt. D  
Field Artillery  
Camp Travis, Texas



Pvt. Logan Ware  
14th Co. 5th Tr. Bn.  
157th Depot Brigade  
Camp McClellan, Ala.



Pvt. Watson Ware  
Development Det.  
Camp Sheridan  
Montgomery, Ala.



Pvt. Luther E. Williams  
36th Company  
3d Gr. M.T.D., M.G., T.C.  
Camp Hancock, Ga.



## Roll of Honor

ANTHONY, ROY B.  
ANTHONY, WAYMON C.

BAKER, MARVIN  
BARNETT, FONZY O.  
BLACKMON, ARCHIE

CHAPPELL, JOE

GAY, JOHN  
GRANT, TYLER

HUNT, CREW  
HUNT, FRED

LEWIS, ELBERT E.  
LEWIS, JASPER

MILNER, GLENN

MILNER, JAMES D.  
MILNER, JESSE B.

MCCANN, JOSEPH  
MCKINNEY, LEVI

OGLETREE, RAYMOND O.

PASCHAL, HENRY  
PASCHAL, NUTE  
PRATHER, WILLIAM G.

SCALES, SGT. MAJ. LUTHER L.  
SMITH, DOCK

WALLER, ARNOLD  
WARE, LOGAN  
WARE, WATSON  
WILLIAMS, LUTHER E.

## Extracts of Appreciation

"They can have England. France. Belgium. Luxemburg and Germany, I have seen them all and spent some time in each, but give me the old United States."

RAYMOND O. OGLETREE

"I will tell you of my first experience in a dugout. When we arrived here it was raining, so I crawled into a dugout for the night. In the meantime shells were landing regularly. I unrolled my pack and went to bed and I had no more than got settled when Fritz sent some large ones over. As I was a new man at the trade it was hard for me to get to sleep, but finally I did and sometime in the night he sent a large one over which made a direct hit on my dugout. I jumped almost out of bed. It rained so much during the night that I was almost floating when I awoke the next morning and it took me nearly all day to dry out all of my stuff."

RAYMOND O. OGLETREE

"Speaking of Christmas, we had a pleasant one considering the place and times. There are twenty-seven children in the town where we are now, the same place we were during the holidays. We had a Christmas Tree for them, so I suppose we made several little hearts happy."

GLENN MILNER

"I don't know whether I will get the first German helmet or not, but I am going to do my bit over there. I shall take it all like a man and fight my best for Old Glory."

JOE MCCANN

"I wish I were in good health and could do my bit over there along with the other boys."

TYLER GRANT

"It's very nice of the Riverview War Service Station to offer a prize to the first boy who captures a German helmet. I'd like to have a chance at the Kaiser and get the one he wears."

MARVIN BAKER

"I don't know how to start to thank the good people of Riverview for the hearty Christmas greetings through the Bulletin. I will say this much, they are the best ever. I send my best regards to everyone."

ARCHIE BLACKMON

"You don't know how much I appreciate the kindness of the Riverview people while we are over here chasing the Germans as fast as we possibly can. You, no doubt have heard of the big American drive that is now going. I must say that the old U. S. boys are making it hot for those Dutchmen just now. I have been transferred to the band, so I am hoping to play a piece for the boys to march through Berlin soon."

WAYMON C. ANTHONY



## Extracts of Appreciation

"I want to say that if all the boys in the Service appreciate, as I do, what the folks of Riverview are doing for our benefit, the work is a great success. The letters you send certainly are interesting to me. They keep me in very close touch with what is going on at home."

WAYMON C. ANTHONY

"I think this is one of the grandest lives a boy can live if he will do his best. I am proud to be a soldier and I hope that it won't be long before I can go over sea to do my part. I feel like we are fighting for a cause that God would have us fight for. I had much rather go over the top than have it always said of me, 'He was a slacker'. That's enough said about that for we are going to get the Kaiser some old way."

ROY B. ANTHONY

"I am sorry I didn't get over to help the boys. I don't feel like I have been in the Service at all, but I have done the best I could. I think those who went oversea are the ones that should have all the praise for winning this war."

ROY B. ANTHONY

"We are here training to fight for the old flag and we will not give up until the last one is dead."

WATSON WARE

"A German garden was captured by our boys a few days ago, so we are living high on cabbage, turnips, etc. You should see what fine homes the Germans had in their dugouts: electric lights, bath rooms, pianos and all such to make life pleasant. I want to tell you, however, that they are not spending much of their time playing pianos and taking baths now, for our boys are giving them all the music they are looking for, and then some."

WAYMON C. ANTHONY

"For the sake of my country, I am anxious for the day to come when I shall have the opportunity of going over the top to capture the helmet that you mentioned in your last letter, not for the \$50.00 reward, but for the sake of my country and the people who are dear to me. I trust that when the war is all over I can go back home and truly say, 'I have done my all'."

## Committees

## WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

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ARTHUR T. GOGGANS

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## VICTORY LOAN CAMPAIGN

R. H. BLEDSOE, JR., *Chairman*

Subscription, \$7,000.00

	Total
Liberty and Victory Loans .....	\$33,800.00
United War Fund.....	1,183.00
Membership and Subscription Red Cross.....	2,712.00
Y. M. C. A.....	700.00
Salvation Army .....	105.00
War Saving Stamps.....	7,000.00



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WAR SERVICE  
COMMITTEE, *Riverview*

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C. L. GIBSON

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B. B. MCGINTY

J. T. SMITH

MISS AMBER LILES, SEC.

WAR SERVICE  
STATION, *Riverview*





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RED CROSS WORK ROOM, *Riverview*



INTERIOR WAR SERVICE STATION, *Riverview*



## Committee Report

Number of letters written to boys in Service.....	382
Number of other letters written.....	243
Number of Bulletins mailed.....	508
Total.....	1133
Number of letters received from boys in Service.....	138
Number of packages or parcels forwarded.....	27
Number of visitors to Station.....	532
Number of packages or parcels forwarded.....	78
Killed in action.....	None
Died of disease or wounds.....	None
Wounded .....	1

## From the Riverview Red Cross

Abdominal bandages .....	70
T bandages .....	50
Triangular bandages .....	51
Shirts .....	14
Sox, pairs .....	13
Sweaters .....	29
Belgian aprons .....	14
Little aprons .....	14
Comfort kits .....	10
Petticoats .....	5
Pajamas, pairs .....	20
Boxes of refugee clothing.....	3
Towels .....	75



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*McCurdy*  
*1911*





R. W. JENNINGS

*"Chairman of the Executive Committee  
War Service Stations during the  
greater part of their existence."*



WM. H. HUFF

*Founder of the War Service Stations*



*My country, 'tis of thee,  
Sweet land of liberty,  
Of thee I sing.  
Land where my fathers died!  
Land of the Pilgrim's pride!  
From ev'ry mountain side  
Let freedom ring!*

*My native country, thee,  
Land of the noble free,  
Thy name I love.  
I love thy rocks and rills,  
Thy woods and templed hills;  
My heart with rapture thrills  
Like that above.*

*Let music swell the breeze,  
And ring from all the trees  
Sweet freedom's song.  
Let mortal tongues awake;  
Let all that breathe partake;  
Let rocks their silence break,—  
The sound prolong.*

*Our father's God, to Thee,  
Author of liberty,  
To Thee we sing,  
Long may our land be bright  
With freedom's holy light;  
Protect us by Thy might,  
Great God, our King!*

*God save our noble men,  
Send them safe home again,  
God save our men.  
Chivalrous, glorious,  
From work laborious,  
Send them victorious,  
God save our men.*













*They came from town and city,  
From factory, mill and field,  
At duty's call, they gave their all  
America to shield.*